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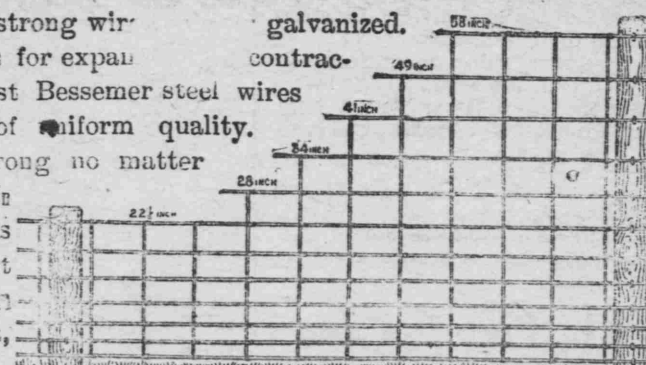
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They will also have again this year Hemp Seed from the same parties that have grown their seed for many years. It is always good.

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**HUKILL TAILORING CO.**

**CONTINUED GROWTH.**

**The East Tennessee Telephone Company**

Has issued a statement of its business for the month of January, 1903, and the growth is shown as follows:

Total Number of Subscribers January 1, 1903.....	14,107
Number added during the month.....	731
Number discontinued.....	436
Net increase.....	2,555
Total Subscribers January 31st, 1903.....	14,322

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**Turney's Stallion "Rhythmic."**

E. D. Morgan, the New York banker, has increased his offer to \$25,000 for the blind trotting stallion Rhythmic, 2:08, but Jesse Turney, of this county, the owner of the champion money winning trotter of 1902, still declines to sell or name a price he would take for the great stallion. So far in 1903 the horse has earned \$3,000 for his owner, as his service fee is \$150 and twenty mares have been booked to him.

Turney's reason for not selling Rhythmic is that he is able to own the horse, and, having disposed of his other interests in this line, Rhythmic is the only horse now in his possession, as the dam of the son of Oakland Baron is dead.

"If I own a horse at all," said Turney, "he might as well be a good one. I believe Rhythmic, all conditions considered, is the greatest of loving trotters."

When asked at what figure he really valued Rhythmic, Turney said: "Well I think my horse is worth as much as any trotter or pacer alive, and you know they say Dan Patch sold for \$60,000."

**CHURCH CHIMES.**

—The first Bible printed in America was Elliot's Indian version, 1658-1663.

—The annual meeting of the Kentucky Conference, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, will be held in this city June 5-10 inclusive. About one hundred delegates will be present, and among this number several prominent speakers.

—There were two funerals preached in this city on Sunday afternoon last, that of Mrs. Jane McCann and Mrs. Wallace Steele.

**CUPID'S ARROW.**

—Gen. and Mrs. John B. Castleman announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Castleman, of Louisville, to Mr. Augustus C. Hone.

**LIVE STOCK, CROP, ETC.**

—W. O. Butler sold a Shetland pony for \$100.

—There were four Jay Birds sold at Lexington last week, at an average of \$450 per head.

—Chas. Ware, of Boyle, sold R. E. Goddard, of Mercer, his fine jack, Kentucky Colonel, for \$750.

—J. T. Lewis, of Newark, O., booked his mare, Nellie Birchwood 2:20, by Birchwood 2:15, to Jay Bird.

—Claude Redmon sold 17 hds of tobacco in Cincinnati, Thursday, at 8 to 10 cents, or an average of \$5.50.

—Garrard ranked second as a hemp producing county last year. It is believed she will rank first this year.

—The average value of a horse in the United States is \$49.07, being lowest (\$13.61) in Arizona and highest (\$86.12) in Rhode Island.

—A Chicago dispatch says cattle are now at the lowest price in six years. Dressed beef, however, is about as high as ever.

—It is estimated that the bees of the United States have produced, during the season just closed, seven million dollars worth of honey and wax.

—Joe Theager, of Lexington, has refused to price his 3-year-old colt, Ed. Gay, bred by Jay Bird. He thinks he is the best colt he ever owned.

—George Petticoard sold his crop of tobacco, raised on the G. W. Wyatt farm, to Bear, of Cythiana, at \$11.50 straight for the 20,000 pounds.

—Tobacco from 19 acres of Woodford county land brought \$4,000, yet there are some people who contend that such land is high at \$100 and \$150 an acre.

—There is a great demand for hens and geese in Eastern markets. The former easily sell at nine cents a pound wholesale, and the latter at \$5 a dozen.

—Stewart & Collier, of Millersburg, have bought several crops of hemp at \$5.85. Of Mack Grimes, 13,000 pounds; of Jas. Hunter, 8,000 pounds; of Horace Purdy 10,000 pounds.

—Clover seed is selling at \$7.35 a bushel in Western Kentucky and will go higher, as the crop in Europe is a failure and the demand in this country for the reason is much greater.

—One of the very best ways of managing a small orchard after it comes into bearing is to fence with a good poultry proof fence, build the poultry house near the center of it and give the fowls a free range in it.

—Auctioneer Forsyth reports sale of McIntyre & McIntock: Horses \$25 to \$120. Horses in pairs \$180 to \$250. Mules \$75 to \$125. Mules in pairs \$250 to \$350. Cows \$15 to \$44. Heifers \$23. Steers \$32 to \$37. Sheep \$5 a head. Bull \$41. Mule colts \$45 to \$71. Sows \$20 to \$26. Sows and pigs \$30 to \$37. Shoats \$4.50 to \$7. Farm implements sold low. Crowd small.

JUDGE IRA JULIAN, of Frankfort, has announced his candidacy for Attorney General.

SEED OATS.—For Northern seed oats go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot.

THE threatened strike of Chicago City Railway employees has been averted by an agreement with the management.

If you need a machine for spring sewing and it don't suit to buy one call at our store and we will rent you one. We also have a full line of supplies.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.,  
W. A. Lowell, Mgr.

MARRIAGE licenses during the past year in Philadelphia fell off more than 2,000. Too sleepy even to fall in love?

IMPORTANT.—Get prices on tobacco cotton at C. O. D. Store before buying elsewhere. They will save you money. (17Feb-5t)

SENATOR HANNA looks to his ex-slave pension bill to offset the influence of Mr. Roosevelt's "black and tan" policy.

**THE FAIR!**

Please You In Every Way Or Your Money Back.

That's part of our liberal policy. Poor economy to ask you to keep an article you don't want, and by so doing lose your good will. It is by your favor that we grow; without it we are as useless as a fifth wheel to a wagon. This store is making history, and such items as the following, are factors in its upbuilding,

**FOR FRIDAY ONLY.**

5 Cents for Men's Linen Collars, Linen all the way through, all the shapes you've been waiting for.

9 Cents for fancy Silk Neckwear.

3 Cents for Paper Lamp Shades, wire supports.

19 Cents for Henis' celebrated Fruit Press or Potato Mashers.

3 Cents for long handle Basting Spoons.

3 Cents for Sad Iron Holders.

10 Cents for a complete Soldering Set.

5 Cents for Combination Graters.

5 Cents for Saw Files, from 4 1/2 to 8 inches included.

5 Cents for a pair of Steel Butt Hinges nearly all sizes.

3 Cents for Shoe Awls, assorted shapes.

12 Cents for Silver Plated Tea Bells.

10 Cents for Rubber Stamping Pads.

2 Cents for 5c Memorandum Books.

4 Cents a dozen for Shoe Laces.

9 Cents a box for Dominoes.

10 Cents for Lithographed Comb and Brush Cases, with mirror.

5 Cents for extra large Wash Rags, 2 1/2 for smaller sizes.

2 1/2 Cents each for unhandled China Cups.

10 Cents for 1/2 gallon size China Water Pitchers.

15 Cents for 25 cent floor Mops, a full pound of Cotton in every mop.

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**New To Paris.**

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There are thousands yet to sell. You know we are not inviting you to an old, carried-over stock—every suit, overcoat, hat or arricle in our furnishing goods department is new, up-to-date, made this season and thoroughly reliable. Reduced to prices that easily convince you THERE IS MONEY SAVING HERE.

There is something more in these Suits and Overcoats than the attractive low prices. There is honest worth in the cloth, artistic effect in the coloring, a style and good appearance found only in first-class garments.

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\$35.00 Overcoats for.....	\$26.25	\$25.00 Suits for.....	\$18.75
25.00 Overcoats for.....	18.75	20.00 Suits for.....	15.00
20.00 Overcoats for.....	15.00	18.00 Suits for.....	13.50
15.00 Overcoats for.....	11.25	15.00 Suits for.....	11.25
10.00 Overcoats for.....	7.50	10.00 Suits for.....	7.50
6.00 Overcoats for.....	4.75	6.00 Suits for.....	4.75

You can buy for Boys at this same proportion—25 per cent. off.

No goods allowed to grow old here. We started this sale, determined to close out our Winter stock by the power of low price pullers. We are doing it—it's going fast.

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